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GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES

Rules of origin

Note by the UNCTAD secretariat

This document contains relevant extracts from communications received from Argentina, 1/ the Dominican Republic, 2/ the Philippines, 3/ Venezuela 4/ and Zambia. 5/

Argentina

"... and has the honour to attach herewith a note received from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship communicating the new list of officials authorized as of 15 December 1992 to issue certificates of origin (form A) under the Generalized System of Preferences. The stamps and original signatures of the officials in question are also attached." 6/

Dominican Republic

"... and has the honour to send you, on the express instructions of the Government of the Dominican Republic, the signature of Mr. Ernesto Ho Segura, who is authorized to authenticate GSP forms.

We also notify you that Mr. Daniel Liranzo is no longer one of the officials authorized to authenticate GSP forms. Unlike Mr. Liranzo's signature, the other signatures continue to be valid." 7/

Ethiopia

"With reference to your letter dated 24 June 1992, Ref. No. TD 423/2, we have been requested by the Ministry of Trade to submit to you the specimen signature of officials of the Ethiopian Chamber of Commerce." 8/

Philippines

"... and has the honour to transmit, for UNCTAD's information and appropriate action, the original and duplicate copies of the specimen signatures of Philippine officials authorized to sign Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) Certificate of Origin, Form A, and ASEAN-PTA Certificate of Origin, Form C." 9/

Venezuela

"... has the honour to transmit, in reply to your note No. TD 423 (2) of 24 February 1992, specimens of the signatures and stamps of the officials accredited by Venezuela to issue and authenticate certificates of origin for the Generalized System of Preferences." 10/

Zambia

"I am glad to submit to you copies of specimen signatures and stamps from the Zambian Confederation of Industries and Chambers of Commerce. Any of the signatories and stamps from Lusaka, Ndola and Kitwe Chambers of Commerce, respectively, will certify the origin of the goods for export.

I shall be grateful if you could notify all interested parties that the Zambia Confederation of Industries and Chambers of Commerce (ZACCI) has been designated to issue GSP certificates of origin with effect from 1 December 1992." 11/

Notes

1/ For earlier notifications see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add. 2, 4, 23 and TD/B/C.5/ORIGIN/4, 5, 6, 11, 14, 15, 17, 24, 29, 33, 40 and 44.

2/ For earlier notifications see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add.8, 16, 19, 28 and TD/B/C.5/ORIGIN/4 and 19.

3/ For earlier notifications see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add.1, 2, 7, 8, 14, 16, 17 and TD/B/C.5/ORIGIN/29 and 40.

4/ For earlier notifications see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add.10.

5/ For earlier notifications see TD/B/C.5/ORIGIN/6, 16 and 40.

6/ See annex I.

7/ See annex II.

8/ See annex III containing a specimen of the seal of the Ethiopian Chamber of Commerce.

9/ See annex IV containing a specimen of the seal stamped on certificate of origin Form A.

10/ See annex V containing a specimen of the seal stamped on certificate of origin Form A.

11/ See annex VI.

Annex I

Ministerio de Economía
y Obras y Servicios Públicos
Secretaría de Industria y Comercio

BUENOS AIRES,

El SECRETARIO DE INDUSTRIA Y COMERCIO certifica que los funcionarios Oscar A POLVERINI, María del Carmen LORENZO, Isabel Susana CARATTINO y María Cristina LOMBARDO, cuyas firmas se registran al pie, fueron autorizados para firmar los Certificados de Origen -Formularios "A" del Sistema Genralizado de Preferencias a partir del día 15 de diciembre de 1992. Dichos certificados llevarán asimismo los sellos que se estampan .

OSCAR A. POLVERINI
COORDINADOR
Dirección de Promoción de Exportaciones

Lic. MARIA DEL CARMEN LORENZO
COORDINADOR
Dirección de Promoción de Exportaciones

ISABEL SUSANA CARATTINO
AREA CUPOS Y CERTIFICACIONES
Dirección de Promoción de las Exportaciones

MARIA CRISTINA LOMBARDO
AREA CUPOS Y CERTIFICACIONES
Dirección de Promoción de las Exportaciones

REPUBLICA ARGENTINA - SECRETARIA de INDUSTRIA Y COMERCIO - DIRECCION DE PROMOCION DE LAS EXPORTACIONES

Annex II

Centro Dominicano de Promoción de Exportaciones

OFICINA DE REPRESENTACION COMERCIAL
AEROPUERTO INTERNACIONAL "LAS AMERICAS"
(CEDOPEX–AILA)
FAX: (809) 530-8208

CENTRO DOMINICANO DE PROMOCION
DE EXPORTACIONES
Santo Domingo, Republica Dominicana

FECHA

ING. ERNESTO HO SEGURA
Representante AILA

Annex III

ETHIOPIAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Annex IV

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
MANILA

EXPORT COORDINATION DIVISION
ONE-STOP EXPORT DOCUMENTATION CENTER

Official Seal Stamped on Certificate of Origin Form A

BUREAU OF CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

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Annex V

REPUBLICA DE VENEZUELA

INSTITUTO DE COMERCIO EXTERIOR

FIRMAS DE FUNCIONARIOS DEL INSTITUTO DE COMERCIO EXTERIOR AUTORIZADOS A CONVALIDAR CERTIFICADOS DE ORIGEN FORMA ''A'' VALIDOS PARA EFECTOS DEL SGP.

MIGUEL RODRIGUEZ MENDOZA
PRESIDENTE

REPUBLICA DE VENEZUELA
INSTITUTO DE COMERCIO EXTERIOR
PRESIDENCIA

ALFREDO ZULOAGA
CONSULTOR JURIDICO

REPUBLICA DE VENEZUELA
INSTITUTO DE COMERCIO EXTERIOR
CONSULTORIA JURIDICA

CARMEN ESTELA HIDALGO BRITO
DIRECTOR GENERAL DE SERVICIOS
AL EXPORTADOR

REPUBLICA DE VENEZUELA
Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores
Instituto de Comercio Exterior
Dirección General de Servicios al Exportador

LUIS JIMENEZ CASTRO
DIRECTOR DE TRAMITES Y
ASISTENCIA TECNICA

REPUBLICA DE VENEZUELA
Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores
Instituto de Comercio Exterior
Dirección de Trámites y Asistencia Técnica

Annex VI

KITWE & DISTRICT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

P.O. Box 20672
Kitwe
Zambia

Certificates of Origins for exports from Zambia will be signed on behalf of the Kitwe and District Chamber of Commerce and Industry by any one of the following persons:

NAME	SPECIMEN SIGNATURE
SHARAD NAYEE	.....
MURRAY SANDERSON	.....
THOMAS KAMWENDO	.....

Each certificate will also bear the official date stamp of the Kitwe and District Chamber of Commerce and Industry which is shown below.

KITWE AND DISTRICT
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
AND INDUSTRY
- 7 OCT 199[illegible]
P. O. BOX 20672
KITWE - ZAMBIA

Ndola & District Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Telegraphic Address: Commerce
Ref:
Chairman: P.L. Canterbury, Tel.: 611809/15
Vice Chairman: L. Banda, Tel.: 655505/9

P.O. Box 240241
NDOLA
Zambia

P L CANTERBURY
CHAIRMAN

.....

H GATCHELL
ZACCI REPRESENTATIVE

.....

NDOLA & DISTRICT CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

P L CANTERBURY
CHAIRMAN

.....

H GATCHELL
ZACCI REPRESENTATIVE

.....

NDOLA & DISTRICT CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

ZAMBIA CONFEDERATION OF INDUSTRIES AND CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE

MR A MKANDAWIRE: .....

MR D K MWENDA: .....

LUSAKA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
P.O. BOX 37817
LUSAKA